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Rule 31 Continuing Mediation Education Accreditation Request Form

Provider Name: Private Dispute Resolution Services, LLC
Address: 5746 Marlin Road, Suite 102 Chattanooga, TN 37411
Telephone/Fax: 423-266-4050 423-756-1845
E-Mail Address: contact@4pdrs.com
Course Title: Mediation Changing the Paradigm for Family Conflict Resolution
Date(s) Held: March 24, 2017
Location(s): 5746 Marlin Road, Suite 102, Chattanooga, TN 37411
Fee for Members/Non-Members: FREE
Does this course have CLE Commission Approval? Yes

Presenters: STEPHEN K. ERICKSON, JD, *Mediator* is a licensed attorney who works exclusively a mediator. Since 1977, he has mediated over 5,000 disputes in his private practice and trained thousands of new mediators in the US, Canada, England and the Netherlands. He received the Bush Leadership Fellowship Award for the study of mediation in 1979 and is a founder and second president of the Academy of Family Mediators. He is well known as a mediation trainer and speaker, and has published numerous articles and books on the subject, most recently a Commentary for the StarTribune in January 2012. In 2007, he and his partner Marilyn McKnight were awarded a Certificate of Service from the MN State Bar Association in recognition of their “distinguished service as valued contributors for the development and growth of ADR in Minnesota.” Steve has taught as an adjunct professor at the William Mitchell College of Law and was appointed to the faculty at Augsburg College, where he teaches a course in the Master of Arts in Leadership Program. In May, 2011, he and Marilyn were given the Distinguished Mediator Award by the New York State Council on Divorce Mediation in recognition of “their pioneering and sustained work in establishing the field of divorce mediation and their soulful dedication in helping families” over the last 35 years. In his free time, Steve enjoys fishing, reading and tinkering with classic cars. You can contact Steve at steve@ericksonmediation.com.

Session Description	Type of Credit Requested (General Continuing Education, General Mediation Issues, Mediation Ethics, or Family Law)	Start Time	End Time	Credit Approval (Office Use Only)
<u>Introductions and Course Overview</u>	General Continuing Education	9:00am	9:15am	.25 hours General Continuing Education
<u>Overview of Divorce Process</u>	General Continuing Education/Family Law	9:15am	10:00am	.75 hours General Continuing Education OR .75 hours Family Law
<u>Why Clients Choose Mediation</u>	General Mediation Education	10:00am	10:15am	.25 hours General Mediation Issues
<u>Improvisation Exercise</u>	General Mediation Education	10:15am	10:45am	.50 hours General Mediation Issues
<u>Break</u>	Break	10:45am	10:50am	N/A
<u>Client-Centered Mediation's Relationship with Therapy</u>	General Mediation Education	10:50am	11:15am	.42 hours General Mediation Issues

<u>Confidentiality in Mediation/TSC Rule 31</u>	Mediation Ethics	11:15am	11:35am	.33 hours Mediation Ethics
<u>Discussion / Q & A</u>	General Continuing Education	11:35am	12:05pm	.50 hours General Continuing Education

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Total Approved CME: 1.50 hours General Continuing Education (with option to apply .75 hours as Family Law instead of General Continuing Education); 1.17 hours General Mediation Issues; .33 hours Mediation Ethics [Maximum for Entire Course: 3.00 hours]

Date Approved: March 14, 2017